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## THE CUBANS ROUTED.

Spanish Troops Capture the Rebel Supplies.

## FIFTY KILLED IN BATTLE.

Over \$200,000 Worth of Stores Are Captured.

HAVANA, March 26.—A column of troops commanded by Colonel Sanchez and E. Chevarria have captured the camps of insurgents at Cherito and Santa Monica, province Pinar Del Rio, and are said to have obtained possession of nearly all the supplies of the insurgents in that province. The insurgents left fifty killed and retired with many wounded. The troops destroyed the stores which could not be made available for the use of the army. It is estimated that the stores captured are worth over \$200,000.

CUBAN RESOLUTIONS.  
The conferees on the Cuban resolutions have agreed to accept the resolutions as passed by the senate:

## WASHINGTON NEWS.

Price of Gold Goes up—Monetary Commission.

WASHINGTON, March 26.—The treasury department has instructed the New York sub-treasury to raise the premium on gold bars from 1-16 to 3-16 per cent. The department's purpose is to do what can be done to legitimately prevent future exports of gold. The order has a triple purpose; first, it will tend to raise the price at which gold can be exported profitably, the price of exchange now being dangerously near the export point, second, it is regarded as good policy to get rid of coin, instead of bars, because the former frequently have lost weight through abrasion; third, it is intended to meet the action of the Bank of England in raising the price of gold bars to 77 shillings 10 pence, thus practically lowering the rate of exchange at which gold can be shipped from United States to Great Britain to about \$488 1/2 @ 488 1/2.

MONETARY COMMISSION.  
WASHINGTON, March 26.—At the opening of the house today Heatwole, Republican of Minnesota, introduced the following resolution, which was referred:

Whereas, in lieu of our present inadequate banking and currency system, it is desirable that congress have the aid of such recommendations as a non-partisan commission of experts might be able to offer.

Resolved, That the president is hereby authorized to appoint nine citizens, eminent in trade, political economy and banking, to act with the comptroller of the currency as such commission, and such commission shall report its conclusions to congress.

## HYPOLYTE DEAD.

WASHINGTON, March 26.—The state department has received a cablegram from United States Minister Smyth, at Port Au Prince, Hayti, confirming the Paris report of the death of President Hypolyte.

## Fatal Explosion.

WELLINGTON, N. Z., March 26.—A terrible explosion by fire damps has taken place in a mine at Brunner. Five persons were killed outright and sixty more entombed with no hope of being rescued.

## He May Decorate.

WASHINGTON, March 26.—The senate passed a joint resolution today allowing ex-President Harrison to accept the decorations from Brazil and Spain.

Children Cry for  
Pitcher's Castoria.

## CLACKAMAS REPUBLICANS.

County Convention Declares for Mitchell and Hermann.

OREGON CITY, March 26.—The platform committee reported resolutions recommending the amendment of existing laws so that seven years' residence in the United States and ability to read and write English should be required of voters; favoring a law providing for the election of road supervisors by the people; favoring the election of United States senators by the people; demanding that legislative candidates pledge themselves to vote and work for the abolition of the railroad commission and for lower passenger and freight rates on the railroads; favoring the initiative and referendum as far as the constitution will permit; demanding that litigants be made to pay fees to the county to defray the expenses of their lawsuits; demanding that the county court restore the wages of day laborers to not less than \$1.50 per day, from which figure they were recently reduced, as far as work for the county is concerned. One important resolution was as follows:

"Resolved, That we will not vote for any one for the office of representative unless he will pledge himself against the appropriation of any money for normal or other schools (the public schools excepted), as we believe it is not right to tax the poor to educate the children of the rich."

There was considerable discussion of this resolution, but it passed by an overwhelming vote.

C. E. Ramsby, of Barlow, was nominated for coroner on the second ballot. Edwin Kinnaird was renominated county surveyor, and M. L. Moore, treasurer, both by acclamation. Weldon Shank, of Canby, was named for recorder on the third ballot. For county clerk Henry Meldrum, of Oregon City, won on the third ballot. E. C. Maddock, was renominated sheriff on the first ballot. H. S. Strange, of Oregon City, won the school superintendent on the first ballot. Joseph Harrington, of Oregon City, was nominated for assessor by acclamation, his six competitors withdrawing. J. R. Morton, of Damascus, was named for county commissioner on the third ballot over 10 competitors. For representative in the legislature, Charles Holman, of Meadowbrook, was selected on the first ballot, and G. W. Prosser, of Oswego, and L. L. Porter, of Oregon City, on the second ballot. A resolution, introduced by Brownell, instructing the legislative nominees, if elected, to vote for Mitchell, for the United States senate was adopted, as was also one by Rinearson instructing the congressional delegates for Hermann.

## Fancy Dress Ball.

NEW YORK, March 26.—A fancy dress ball will be given for the benefit of the Ballet Girls' Association at Terrace Garden this evening. Ballet girls from all the theatres in New York will be present. The girls very sensibly decided last year that they could prevent the exactions of theatrical managers only by united effort, so they formed the association after consulting with the leaders in the Central Labor Federation and other organized bodies of working men. From the start the association has been exceptionally successful, and has justified every hope and fulfilled every promise of its originators.

## Holland House.

NEW YORK, March 26.—The Chi Psi Alumni Society of this city will hold its fourth annual meeting and banquet at the Holland House tonight. Among those who are expected to attend the meeting are ex-Chief Justice Robert Earle, of the Court of Appeals, and ex-United States Senator Palmer, of Michigan. The neighboring chapters of the fraternity will be represented by delegates at the dinner.

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Pitcher's Castoria.

## BLOODY CONVENTION.

The McKinley Men in Texas Start a Riot.

## A FREE FIGHT FOR ALL.

Allison's Chairman Is Mauled and Desk Splintered.

AUSTIN, Texas, March 26.—When the Republican convention was called to order today, the chair announced that the committee on credentials would not be ready to report until 12 o'clock, and suggested adjournment until that hour. Opposition was offered by the McKinleyites, but an adjournment was taken until noon.

## A FREE FIST FIGHT.

AUSTIN, Tex., March 26.—At 2 o'clock the convention adopted a report from the credentials committee, practically putting the Reed-Allison faction in charge of the convention. It also elected H. W. Cuny, Allison's leader, permanent chairman. At 2:30 o'clock the Reed-Allison faction elected their delegation to St. Louis.

The McKinley men immediately swarmed on the platform, knocked the speaker down, and tore the desk to pieces. Pistols were drawn, and a free fist fight indulged in. Policemen swarmed into the building and knocked the fighters right and left. At 3 o'clock the convention hall is an amphitheatre for fist fights, but no blood has been spilled. The McKinley men are completely defeated.

## Model Varnishing.

NEW YORK, March 26.—An innovation in the manner of receptions will be made this year by the Society of American Artists. In place of the ordinary reception, a public varnishing day will be held tomorrow on the model of that of the Paris salon, invitations to which will be strictly limited, but to which the public will be admitted on payment of \$1.

## Massachusetts Republicans.

BOSTON, March 26.—The Republican state convention will meet here tomorrow. The McKinley men will be on hand in great numbers, and declare Reed will not have the walkover he expected before the McKinley wave swept over the west. Some of them even expect to stampede the convention for the Ohio major.

## Reed's Boom.

BOSTON, March 26.—What is expected to be the first official big gun for Thomas B. Reed as a candidate for president will be fired with great enthusiasm at the Republican state convention here tomorrow. It is believed the platform will declare unequivocally against any change in the currency.

## Egyptian Debt.

Cairo, March 26.—A commission of the Egyptian debt met here today and decided to advance 500,000 pounds necessary to meet the expenses of the British Egyptian expedition against Dengola. The French and Russian members left the meeting.

## Killiz Besieged.

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 26.—The outbreak at Killiz is more serious than was supposed. The town is surrounded by troops, and no one is allowed to leave or enter. Officials of Bitlis are preventing the American missionaries from distributing aid.

## Will Hang Tomorrow.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., March 26.—Ella Hamilton, aged 21 years, was sentenced in February to hang tomorrow. He was madly in love with a young woman, and killed Walter Hansard, his rival, who had succeeded in displacing him in the affections of the girl.

## THE FIRST HOWL.

A Slap at the Country Element By the Oregonian.

A well-informed Salem man in Portland yesterday made the following statement:

"The Republican convention of Marion county was a farce, so far as representing the reputable element of the party is concerned. It was due largely to delegates selected in reference to Ford for congress. Without looking at the tax-roll, and merely upon knowledge of the conservative business men, less than one-half the Salem delegates were taxpayers; the rest non-taxpayers. The silver element predominated in the convention, consequently no committee was appointed on resolutions. The representative ticket is conceded a free-silver one, though J. N. Smith and E. W. Chapman will likely go no further than to support Mitchell. There may be an independent movement."

[The "well-informed citizen of Salem" was probably a Portland humorist who drew \$5 or \$10 a day as committee clerk in the last legislature.]

## Mitchell at Home.

GERVAIS, Or., March 26.—Gervais was enthusiastic over the arrival home of her native son, McKinley Mitchell, who, Tuesday, was non-named as representative from this section. The people en masse met him at the depot and welcomed him with addresses and the firing of anvils. A procession was formed and he was escorted home amid much enthusiasm.

## Psi Upsilon Alumni Association.

CHICAGO, March 26.—The annual reunion of the Psi Upsilon Alumni Association of the Northwest will be held at the Union League Club this evening. Besides the election of officers, plans for attending the fraternity convention, to be held with the Phi at Ann Arbor May 6, 7 and 8, and other fraternity business will be discussed.

## For Higher Wages.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., March 26.—The miners of the Central and Northern Pennsylvania soft coal regions will hold a meeting here today to discuss a demand for higher wages. This is the outcome in prices made recently by the operators. It may develop into a strike if the miners' demand is not granted.

## Academy of Science.

NEW YORK, March 26.—The reception tonight of the New York Academy of Science in the American Museum of Natural History, will be made more than usually interesting by the exhibition of the engineer's topographical maps for the new botanical gardens.

## Married Today.

WASHINGTON, March 26.—Edward Gwynne, nephew of Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, and Miss Helen Steele, will be married today. The Vanderbilt party which has been touring through the South on a special train, will be present.

## Benjamin Franklin's Will.

BOSTON, March 26.—The petition of Mayor Quincy praying for the recording of Benjamin Franklin's will is returnable in court today. The object of the recording is to get the Franklin Fund in ultimate legal shape for use.

## Pennoyer for Mayor.

PORTLAND, March 26.—A movement is on foot to call a public meeting for next Saturday night, and nominate ex-Governor Pennoyer for mayor. It is intended to anticipate the regular conventions in the hope that the democracy and independent movement will endorse Pennoyer.

## For Greater New York.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 26.—The "Greater New York" passed the assembly by a vote of 91 to 58.

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## STATE DELEGATES.

Taking up the order of business the selection and election of nineteen delegates to the state convention followed. Those named are, viz:

Salem 1, 2 and 3—R. R. Ryan.  
East Salem and Englewood—F. A. Meyers.

South Salem—J. W. Jory.  
Prospect and Yew Park—B. Shaw.

Horeb, Breitenbush and Elkhorn—T. J. McLeary.  
Jefferson—Chas. Miller Sr.

Lincoln and Turner—D. E. Swank.  
Macleay and West Silverton—K. L. Hibbard.

Silver Falls and Stayton—Henry Bruer.  
Abiqua and Garfield—G. W. Vedder.

Butteville, Champeog, Fairfield and St. Paul—G. W. Dimick.  
Gervais and Labish—George Roff.

Howell and Hubbard—G. W. Weeks.  
Sublimity and Marion—H. Copeland.

East Silverton—T. Y. McClellan.  
Woodburn—Dr. L. W. Guis.

North Salem and Mehama—T. J. Clark.  
REPRESENTATIVES—K. L. Hibbard,

H. Cleveland, Geo. P. Cadwell, T. J. McClary, F. A. Meyers.

COUNTY JUDGE—L. M. Wagner.  
COMMISSIONER—I. Larsen.

SHERIFF—Washington Hunsaker.  
CLERK—R. H. Leabo, Salem.

TREASURER—Geo. M. Brown, of Stayton.

RECORDER—R. R. Ryan, Salem.  
ASSESSOR—T. Y. McClellan.

COUNTY SHERIFF—H. W. Copeland.  
SULFUR—S. R. Burford Jr.

CORONER—Dr. T. L. Golden.  
Two delegates at large—Eight

names were proposed, namely B. J. Sharp, George T. Cline, George E. Allen, J. P. Robertson, L. M. Wagner, L. H. McMahon, A. F. Simeral and J. M. Payne. Voting was by ballot.

L. H. McMahon, B. J. Sharp, T. Y. McClellan and Geo. W. Weeks acting as tellers. On first ballot the result stood: Cline 63, Sharp 77, Allen 25, Robertson 15, Wagner 54, Simeral 25, Payne 31.

No one having received a majority of the votes cast a second ballot was necessary, although there was some in the convention to quicken matters by electing by viva voce vote those two nominees who received the highest number in the previous ballot. Mr. Sharp was the choice of the majority of the delegates on this ballot, receiving 146 votes.

A third ballot failed to elect the necessary delegate, the count standing Cline 72, Wagner 64, McMahon 38. The latter withdrew his name in favor of Mr. Wagner and the fourth ballot was then taken. The result was in Mr. Wagner's favor.

## THE PLATFORM.

John P. Robertson, chairman of the committee on resolutions, read the following platform which was adopted with a "whoop and a hurrah":

"First Government—We hold that sovereignty is inherent in the people and is inalienable, and that form of government is best which most truly crystallizes the will of the sovereign people into law. We, therefore, demand the adoption of the method of direct legislation known as the initiative and referendum.

"Second. Money—That the right to issue money, provide the material of which it shall be composed, fix its value, and regulate the volume, is a sovereign right inherent in and necessary to every independent government and delegated by our fathers in the constitution to congress. We, therefore, demand that the general

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